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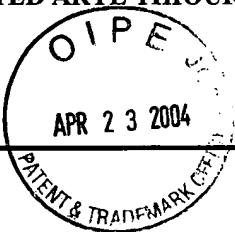
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The filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed as a representation that a search has been made, or an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability.

Some of the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 are not in English. As required by 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3) applicants have provided below a concise explanation of the relevance of each listed reference that is not in the English language.

Schuster, G., "Structurally Dependent Effect of Substituted Thioureas on the Concentration of Potato Virus X in *Nicotiana tabacum* L." Zentralblatt fuer Bakteriologie, Parasitenkunde, Infektionskrankheiten und Hygiene, Abteilung 2, Naturwissenschaftliche: Microbiologia der Landwirtschaft, der Technologie und des Umweltschutzes (1978), 133(7-8), 686-9 is in German. Applicants do not have a translation of this document, but understand it to be directed to the effects of substituted thioureas on potato virus. Applicants understand the substituted thioureas disclosed in the reference differ substantially in structure from those of the

application. For example, of the thiourea compounds disclosed on page 688 of the reference only the last three compounds in the second column contain a carbonyl thiourea group. The carbonyl thiourea compounds of the reference differ from those of the application by not having a second cyclic group (such as an aromatic group), and alkyl amino group, or an alkylaminoalkyl group.

Mitin, N. I. et al., "Effect of Adamantine-containing Compounds on Aujesky's and Avian Influenza Disease Viruses," Fiziologicheski Aktivnye Veshchestva (1977) 9, 31-5 is in Russian. Applicants do not have a translation of this document but understand it to pertain to compounds that differ substantially from those of the present application. For example the reference appears to pertain only to adamantane-containing compounds.

Parceus, C. et al., "Inhibition of vaccinia virus in vitro by substituted monophenylthioureas," Naturwissenschaften (1964) 51(4), 94-5 is in German. Applicants do not have a translation of this reference but understand it to pertain to compounds that differ substantially from those of the present application. The reference apparently discloses only monophenyl thiourea compounds substituted with alkoxy groups of increasing carbon chain length (see col. 2 page 94).

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4	Mitin, N. I., et al., "Effect of Adamantine-Containing Compounds On Aujeszky's And Avian Influenza Disease Viruses", Fiziologicheski Aktivnye Veshchestva (1977), 9, 31-5
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